

James Anthony HORNE et al.

~~✓~~ Claim 7, line 2, change "any of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--.

~~✓~~ Claim 8, line 2, change "any of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--.

~~✓~~ Cancel claim 9.

~~✓~~ Claim 10, line 3, change "any of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--.

R E M A R K S

The above changes in the claims merely place this national phase application in the same condition as it was during Chapter II of the international phase, with the multiple dependencies being removed. Following entry of this amendment by substitution of the pages, only claims 1-8 and 10 remain pending in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

YOUNG & THOMPSON

By Benoit Castel
Benoit Castel
Attorney for Applicants
Registration No. 35,041
745 South 23rd Street
Arlington, VA 22202
Telephone: 703/521-2297

July 2, 1999